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In re Application of
David Allison Bennett, et al.

Application Number
09/685,078

Filed
10/6/2000

For Apparatus, Systems and Methods for Online, Multi-Carrier, Multi-Service Parcel Shipping Management Featuring Notification Service
~~Option Comparison for Multiple Carriers~~

Art Unit
3629

Examiner
Plucinski, Jamisue A.

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner, rejecting Claims 1-6, 28-33, 49-52 and 58.

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	Application Number	09/685,078
	Filing Date	October 6, 2000
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Small or Large Entity	Small or Large Entity	Small or Large Entity	Small or Large Entity	Small or Large Entity	Small or Large Entity	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	\$.00
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Small or Large Entity	Small or Large Entity
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims **Extra Claims** **Fee (\$)** **Fee Paid (\$)** **Multiple Dependent Claims**

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